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Applicant: Hans Josef Stauss

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed August 26, 1999, please consider the following remarks. Submitted with this Response is a Petition for Extension of Time, along with the required fee, to extend the period for response one month, to and including October 26, 1999. It is believed that no additional fee is required with this submission. However, should an additional fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 01-2507. To facilitate this process, Applicants enclose a duplicate of this document.

Remarks

Response to Restriction Requirement

1. In the Office Action mailed August 26, 1999, the claims were divided into seven groups, Group I, claims 41-43, drawn to CTL lymphocytes; Group II, claims 1-18, drawn to a method of treating a patient by administering the CTL of Group I, Group III, claims 20-40, drawn to a